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NOTICE OF PUBLIC REVIEW AND INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

A Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) has been prepared by the California State Lands Commission (CSLC), as Lead Agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Pub. Resources Code, § 21000 et seq.), in response to an application submitted by Cabrillo Power I LLC Encina Marine Oil Terminal Decommissioning Project (Project). The MND is in compliance with the requirements of CEQA, the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15000 et seq.), and CSLC Regulations (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2901 et seq.). This Notice fulfills a State regulatory process noticing and review requirement for the CSLC.

Project Title: Cabrillo Power I LLC Encina Marine Oil Terminal Decommissioning

Project

Project Location: The Project is located in and offshore of the City of Carlsbad, San

Diego County, immediately west and offshore of Carlsbad State Beach

south of Agua Hedionda.

Project Description: Cabrillo Power I LLC proposes to decommission the existing non-operational Encina Marine Oil Terminal (MOT), which is a component of the Encina Power Station. The Project, in summary, comprises the following elements: (1) removal of the entire fuel oil submarine pipeline; (2) decommissioning of related onshore facilities, including the beach valve pit, underpass conduit, underpass end structure, and all associated electrical and piping components; (3) temporary removal of the riprap groin on Carlsbad State Beach and restoration of the groin after the underlying fuel oil submarine pipeline has been removed; (4) restoration of the beach; (5) removal of several components of the offshore MOT, including two end anchors and a termination marker buoy at the offshore terminus of the fuel oil submarine pipeline, a navigation buoy, a seven-point mooring system, and a single-point mooring; (6) removal of all seafloor debris associated with the MOT operations; and (7) quit claim of the remaining portions of the underpass to the City of Carlsbad. Onsite decommissioning activities are currently scheduled to begin in September 2016 and finish in January 2018.

The Project MND can be downloaded, in PDF format, at www.slc.ca.gov (click on the Information and CEQA Updates links). Hard copies and/or CDs of the MND are also available for review at the locations below:

Carlsbad City Library	California State Lands Commission
1775 Dove Lane	100 Howe Ave., Suite 100-South
Carlsbad, CA 92011	Sacramento, CA 95825

The MND is available for at least a 30-day review period beginning Tuesday, October 20, 2015 and ending Friday, November 20, 2015. The MND is available for a 30-day review period. All comments must be received by **November 20, 2015**, and can be sent to:

Email: CEQAcomments@slc.ca.gov California State Lands Commission Fax: (916) 574-1885

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Important Notes to Commenters

- 1. You are encouraged to submit electronic copies of your written comments. If written comments sent e-mail, please send the comments CEQAcomments@slc.ca.gov and write the following in the subject line of your email: Encina MOT Decommissioning Project Comments. If written comments are faxed, please also mail a copy to ensure that a clean copy is received by this office.
- 2. If you represent a public agency, please provide the name, e-mail address, and telephone number for the contact person in your agency for the Project.
- 3. Before including your mailing or e-mail address, telephone number, or other personal identifying information in your comment, please be aware that the entire comment including personal identifying information—may become publicly available, including in the MND and posted on the Internet). The CSLC will make available for inspection, in their entirety, all comments submitted by organizations or businesses or by individuals identifying themselves as representatives of organizations or businesses.

The Project's MND will be considered for adoption at the December 18, 2015, scheduled meeting of the CSLC, unless otherwise stated on the CSLC's website. The specific time and location will be posted on the CSLC's website at www.slc.ca.gov when specific meeting information becomes known.

Should you have any questions or need additional information from a State or CEQA perspective, please contact Kelly Keen at (916) 574-1938, or via e-mail at Kelly.Keen@slc.ca.gov.

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